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as it's attorneys and agents to prosecute the captioned patent/application, and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

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